

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 613**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2643**

**By Crowe, Berke, Lowe Finney, Williams, Raymond Finney, Burks, Beavers, Black, Bunch, Burchett, Harper, Haynes, Henry, Herron, Jackson, Johnson, Ketron, Kilby, Kurita, Marrero, McNally, Norris, Roller, Southerland, Stanley, Tate, Tracy, Watson, Wilder, Woodson, Mr. Speaker Ramsey**

**Substituted for: House Bill No. 2452**

**By Swafford, Sherry Jones, Towns, Moore, Ferguson, Fincher, Hackworth, Harmon, Curt Cobb, Coleman, Bone, Curtiss, Bibb, Mike Turner, Hood, Bass, Pitts, McDonald, Odom, Fitzhugh, Rinks, Sontany, Winningham, Armstrong, Tidwell, Brown, Yokley, Larry Turner, Richardson, Larry Miller, Hardaway, Crider, Pruitt, Pinion, Shepard, Lois DeBerry, Mr. Speaker Naifeh, Kelsey, Cooper, Gilmore, Maddox, Buck, Litz, John Deberry, Tindell, Windle, Favors, Hill, Kevin Brooks, Baird, Borchert, Briley, Harry Brooks, Campfield, Casada, Jim Cobb, Dean, DuBois, Dunn, Eldridge, Floyd, Ford, Fraley, Gresham, Harrison, Harwell, Hawk, Hensley, Curtis Johnson, Phillip Johnson, Ulysses Jones, Kernell, Lollar, Lundberg, Lynn, Maggart, Matheny, Matlock, McCord, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Montgomery, Mumpower, Niceley, Overbey, Roach, Rowland, Sargent, Shaw, Strader, Todd, Vaughn, Watson, West, Williams**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 15, Chapter 2, relative to Vietnam Veterans Day.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 15, Chapter 2, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section thereto:

§ 15-2-114.

March 29 of each year shall be observed as Vietnam Veterans Day, to be proclaimed as such by the governor, to honor and recognize the veterans who served during the Vietnam War. State agencies, interested organizations and groups and individuals are encouraged to fly the United States flag accompanied by the MIA/POW flag on this day. This day shall not be a legal holiday as defined in § 15-1-101.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: February 25, 2008**



RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 11th day of March 2008**



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR